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William A. Gitt

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No. 281.178

Acts of July 14, 1862, and March 3, 1873.

Martha Gibbs
Wolrab Mills, Hardin Co. Ill-
Luck - Pope Co. Ill.
Mother of
William A. Gibbs
Pvt. G, 48th Ill. V. Inf.

Died at Germantown Tenn-
May 22. 1863 Killed

No other claim.

Not Recorded in 48 Ill Regt

Mch 2, 1881 L. Williams
no fufd claim on record Clerk.
WSD
6.125

Application filed: March 11, 1881.
Attorney: Jas. S. Finney
P. O. Oak
Pope Co.
Ill-

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Ex'r. Date. Nov 24" 1882 AB

Dec 9/82 To atty

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Lacey Elizabeth Logan Ill.

June 21/83 To atty Finney
More specific testimony as to prop
Income
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Contribution
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May 11/85 To clmt. at Luck Ill
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dis of ques & ~~date of his death~~
his inc in 1863
Prop'ty 1863-1881 to date
contribution TO P.M. Shook Hill

Jan 16/86 Repeated
the above to Clmt

No 281,178

War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, Mch 17", 1883.

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner of Pensions.

William A. Gibbs, a Private of Company C, 48 Regiment Ill Infy Volunteers, was enrolled on the 1 day of Sept, 1861, at Elizabethtown for 3 yrs and is reported: on Roll May & June 63 & Return May 63: Killed in a skirmish with the enemy May 22/63 at Germantown Miss. while in the discharge of his duty with forage train.

RK

EDS

JB

"B"

M. Barber

Assistant Adjutant General.

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(PENSIONER DROPPED.)

U. S. Pension Agency,

Chicago Ills.

April 2", 1890.

Hon Green B. Raum

Commissioner of Pensions.

Sir:

I hereby report that the name of Martha Gibbs.

Mother of William A., who was a pensioner on the rolls of this Agency, under Certificate No. 220.722, and who was last paid at $12, to 4 Dec, 1889, has been dropped because of death.

Very respectfully,

Isaac Clements

Pension Agent.

Every name dropped to be thus reported at once.

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U. S. PENSION OFFICE.
APR 5 1890

State of Ills Harden Co} SS This day
} Personaly
appeared before me J H B Renfrow Clerk
Of the County Court of Harden Co Ills
the same being a Court of Record
In and for afore said Co and State
Marthey Gibbs Aged 55 years a Resident
of Harden Co Ills Who being By me
duly Sworn according to Law makes
the folowing declaration In Order
to Obtain the Pension Provided
by Acts of Congress Granting Pensions
to dependent Mothers that She Is the
Mother Of William A Gibbs Who Was Killed
By a Gun Shot While In the Line of duty In
the Servis of the united States On the 22d day
Of May 1863 near German Town Tenn By
Gorilers In the war of the Rebellion of 1861
the said son was a Member of Co
Reg Ills Inft Vol In the Servis of the united
States And Left neither Widow Or Child
under 16 years of age that She was depend
ent On Said Son In Part for her Support
as her husband was So Afflicted with
Milck Sick as he could not Stand heat or
Labor that ther wer Surviving at date
Of Said Sons death his Brothers and
Sisters who wer under 16 years of age
as follows Sarah J Gibbs was Borne July
19th 1844 Nancy E Gibbs was Born Jan 15th 1846
Washington Gibbs was Borne May 30th 1848
Marthey L Gibbs was Born Mar 2 1850

Mary J. Gibbs was Born October 28th 1852
Manerva C Gibbs " " " May 3rd 1855
John L. Gibbs " " " Dec 18th 1857
Elizabeth N Gibbs " " " Aug 7th 1861
George M Gibbs " " " Dec 18 1862
Angaline Gibbs " " " May 1st 1864
Isabelle Gibbs " " " Feb 28th 1866
Henderson Gibbs " " " Nov 28th 1867
James J. Gibbs " " " Apr 4th 1869
that She has not here to fore Receaved
or applied for a Pension that She
has not aided or abetted the Rebellion
that She appoints James D Fanney of
Oak Pope Co Ill her attorney to Prosecute
the above Claim and her address is
Wallrabs Mills Harden Co Ills

attest J. A. Vinyard } Martha her X mark Gibbs
M Hall Johnson

Also Personaley appeared before me
J A Vinyard & [illegible] Allued Consed
Persons who being Sworn Say from
the appearence and ther acquaintence
with the Claiment Marthey Gibbs tha
hav Ever Reason to Beleav her to be the
Person She Represents herself to bee and
Seen her Sine her naim to the
fore going declaration that tha
hav no Interest direct or Indirect
In this Claim and address is Elizabeth Town
Harden Co Ills

J. A. Vinyard
M Hall Johnson

Sworn and Subscribed to before Me this 3rd day of July 1881 and I Certify that the Contents was fully Known to the Applicant and witnesses before Signing and I hav no Interest direct or Indirect in this Claim

J H B Rump
Co Clerk

MAR 11 1881
OFFICE

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Signs by X

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Application of
Marthey Gibbs
for a Pension as
Mother of W A Gibbs
Killed By Gunshot
May 22d 1863 of 48
th Ills Inft Vol
War of 1861-5

Of
Mill Robbs
Mills, Hardin
Co. Ills

Filed By
Jas D. Finney
Of Oak Dope Co Ills

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(ORIGINAL.)

(3—394.)

To be executed in duplicate and one copy forwarded to the Commissioner of Pensions for filing with the record.

State of Illinois } ss:
County of Pope }

On this 9th day of April, 1886, personally appeared before me Martha Gibbs, who, being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that she is a pensioner by certificate No. 220722, and that on the issue of 13 Mar, 1886, she has paid his attorney, James S. Finney (Name of Attorney.) of Oak Ill (Address of Attorney.) the following sums at the dates mentioned, for his services in said claim, viz:

AMOUNTS PAID.	DATES WHEN PAID.	MANNER OF PAYMENT.
$ 5.00	Mch 1st, 1881.	Paid in live Hogs
$	, 188 .	$5 atty
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$	, 188 .	
$	, 188 .	

The claimant may add such other facts relative to manner of payment, whether by cash, post-office order, registered letter, or otherwise, as may be within his recollection at the time of making this affidavit.

I sold mr Finney 3 ~~Hogs~~ Hogs which was worth $4.00 Four Dollars per Head But in order to get my Claim Started I let the Hogs go for Five Dollars

her
Martha x Gibbs
mark
(Signature of Pensioner.)

Attest:

Geo. J. Carter

Sworn to and subscribed before me the day and year above written.

[L.S.]

Robert Duncan
(Official Signature)
Notary Public

(4846—50,000.)

Ctf. 220.722

Wid.

Martha Gibbs

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SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE OF EXAMINATION OF A DEPENDENT RELATIVE.

Claim No. 281178

State: ...., County: ....

Post Office: ...., 188 .

I HEREBY CERTIFY That I have carefully examined ....
the husband of Martha Gibbs, who claims a pension as the dependent mother of Wm A Gibbs who is alleged to have died May 22/63, and that in my opinion, based on such examination and a personal acquaintance with him for .... years, the said .... is and has been physically incapacitated for the support of himself and family, the nature, degree, and duration of his disability being as follows:

Here present a full and explicit statement as to the nature of the disability, and ...
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(Western Division.)

SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

IN CASE OF

Dependent mother of

(Soldier) Wm A. Gibbs

Claim No. 281178.

DATE OF EXAMINATION,

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Examining Surgeon.

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(DUPLICATE.)

(3-394.)

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PENSION OFFICE APR 15 1886

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Martha her x mark Gibbs
(Signature of Pensioner.)

Attest:

Geo J Carter

Sworn to and subscribed before me the day and year above written.

[L.S.] ROBERT DUNCAN NOTARY PUBLIC POPE COUNTY, ILL.

Robert Duncan
(Official Signature)
Notary Public

(1846—50,000.)

220.722

Martha Gibbs

State of Illinois }
County of Hardin } ss.

In the matter of the Pension Claim of Martha Gibbs as mother of William A. Gibbs Pri Co "C" 48th Regt of Ills Infty Vols" No 281.178

Personally appeared before me a Co Clerk within and for said County & State Daniel V. Ginger whose age is 58 years whose P.O. address is Elizabethtown Ills. him being Duly sworn as the Law Directs on his oath makes the following statement in relation to said claim to wit

I was well acquainted with the father of William A. Gibbs who was the Husband of Martha Gibbs this claimant from 1860 to 1876 and about the year of 1860 I remember said William H. Gibbs Hired to me his son William A. Gibbs to work and I Paid him for his work in Provisions His son William A Gibbs was working for me for Provision for the family when he enlisted in the service war 61-5 and William H. Gibbs the father of said William A Gibbs seemed to be a sickly man and not able to Do much heavy work or at least he Didnt Do much

He lived on my farm first and last about 7 years. His occupation was Doing nothing most of the time he some times made Baskits out of wooden split and maid split Paylings and Such light work as That but he couldent Do no Heavy work what he Did Do was not Suffecent for the Suport of his family. Their main Dependendena for support was the Son William A Gibbs at the time Said William A. Gibbs Enlisted. and after the Son Enlisted the mother Martha Gibbs maid most of the living washing Knigting and Doing Chores for the Neighborhood and in That way She Has managed to live Sice her Son Enterry into the service as aforesaid The Said William A Gibbs Did not own any land and but verry little personally Property He was about 52 or 3 years old and The income receaved from his occupation in 1863. Did not amount to a comforta ble living His income Did not afford the claimant a maintainence the claimant maid her own living mostly in 1863 and each year to 1884 by her own labor I am no relation to claimant and not interested in this claim } [illegible] (over) (Seal)

attest
Norton Renfro
John T Ledbetter

Daniel V. his X mark Ginger

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Sept 1885
W B Renfro
Co Clerk

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Additional Evidence
No 281,178.
Case of
Martha Gibbs
Dependent Mother
— of —
William Gibbs.
Pri "Co" "48" Ills Vols Infty
affidavit of
Daniel V. Ginger

Filed by
Claimant
Rusk Ills

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State of Illinois }
County of Pope. } S.S.

In the matter of the Pension claim of. Martha Gibbs No 281.178 as Dependent Mother. of William A. Gibbs who was a Pri "Co" "C" 48th "Ills" "Infty" "Vols"

Personally appeared before me a Notary Public within and for said County and State. Martha Gibbs who is Claimant in said Claim who after being duly Sworn according to Law on her Oath Says —

That it is impossible for her to furnish medical Evidence Showing the Physical Condition of her Husband William H. Gibbs in 1863 as he was Treated in that year by Dr Hamp who P.O. ~~is was~~ was walrats mills Ills who is now Dead and That She ask Permission to Show his Conditions at That time and Since till he Died in 1896 By his neighbors (See affidavits herewith Inclosed) my husband william H. Gibbs was never able to work in consequence of being effected with milk Sick wich he had about the year of 1855 from wich Disease he never Recovered Said william H. Gibbs was Borne March 2nd A.D. 1822 as appears in the family records of Births written there by him During his life Time And I have never Married Since the Death of my Husband William H. Gibbs

her
Martha X Gibbs
mark

attest [illegible]

POPE COUNTY ... GOLCONDA (seal)

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attest
Geo. J. Carter
D. M. Tucker

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 2nd Day of Oct 1885 and I certify that said affiant is reputable and entitled to full credit and that she fully understood the contents of the said affidavit before swearing to including all erasures and interlineations
Witness my Hand and official seal the Day and year aforesaid

Robert Duncan
Notary Public

County clerk certificate on file in pension office in claim of H. S. Allister No 172673

ROBERT DUNCAN NOTARY PUBLIC POPE COUNTY, ILL.

Additional Evidence
Martha Gibbs
dependent mother of William A. Gibbs
Co. "C" 48 Ill. Vols.

Affidavit of Claimant

Filed by Claimant

PENSION OFFICE OCT 1885

State of Illinois }
Hardin County } SS

In the Matter of
The pension claim of Martha Gibbs Mother of Wm A Gibbs late a Private of Co C 48th Regt Ills vol
Personally appears Daniel V Ginger aged 56 years whose post office address is Sparks Hill Hardin Co Ills and after being duly sworn upon his oath deposes and says that He was acquainted with the soldier above named at and prior to his death and knew that he was not a married man and had no children
The affiant further testifies that Wm Gibbs husband of the claimant worked for him on the farm and was not considered a full hand as He was diseased with as He said Milk Sick That He was about 52 years of age & by occupation a farmer but owned no land That He had no income from any source whatever except from his labor in the year 1863 & up to the time of his death

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and that his income (was)
not sufficient to afford
the Claimant a maintenance
& that She partially obtained
Her Maintenance by Her
own work & by the assistance
of Her Son Wm A Gibbs
The Husband of the Claimant
never abandoned her but
failed to make support for
her in consequence of his
inability to perform manual
labor
The Claimant and husband
never owned as much as
$150.00 worth of property of
any kind at one time
since 1863 to the present time
and some periods of that
time they did not own
any thing except a few
household goods & their
wearing apparel
Prior to the soldiers enlistment
He labored on my farm
& the money earned was
used in the support of the
family and after he
went in to the service he
sent money back to
the family which was
used in the support of
the family

He further Says that He has no interest in the Prosecution of this Claim either direct or indirect and is not Concerned in the Prosecution of The Same

his
Daniel X V Ginger
mark

attest
J. A. Vinyard
Jesse Kirkham

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 6th day of June 1883 and I further Certify that I read the affidavit to the affiant and acquainted him with its Contents before He signed the Same

J H B Rimps
Co Clerk

HARDIN COUNTY COURT

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Pension Claim
of Martha A Gibbs
No 281.178

D V Ginger
10 Affidavit

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OFFICE.

State of Illinois }
Hardin County }

In the Pension Claim No 281178 of Martha Gibbs as mother of William A Gibbs deceased of Co C 48th Regt Ill vol Personally appears the claimant and after being duly sworn deposes and says that in 1863 she lived in Hardin County & state of Illinois and that her post office address was Sparks Hill Hardin Co Ills & that in 1872 she moved to Stoddard Co Mo & remained there for three years and while in Mo my post office address was Lakeville Stoddard Co Mo in 1875 removed back to Hardin Co Ills since which time my post office address has been Karbers Ridge Hardin County Illinois my present post office address is Walrabs Mill Hardin Co Ills

J A Vinyard
L F Slater

Martha her x mark Gibbs

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of May 1883
J H B Rumsey Co Clerk

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U.S. PENSION OFFICE
JUN 15 1883

State of Illinois }
Hardin County } SS

In the Matter of the Pension Claim of Martha Gibbs Mother of William A Gibbs late a Private of Co C 48th Regt Illinois Vol Personally appeared John A Ginger aged 53 years whose post office address is Karbers Ridge Hardin County Illinois and after being duly sworn upon his oath deposes and says that he was acquainted with the soldier above named at & prior to his death and knew that he never was married & that he left no issue the affiant further testifies that Wm Gibbs husband of the claimant worked for him on the farm and was not a sound able bodied man could not stand the heat as he said he had been affected with neck sick that he was about 52 years of age & by occupation a farmer but owned no real estate that he had no income from any source whatever except from his labor

in the year 1863 & up to his death and that his income was not sufficient to afford the Claimant a maintenance and that she partially obtained her maintenance by her own industry and by the assistance of her son William A Gibbs

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The Husband of the Claimant never abandoned her but failed to support her in consequence of his inability to perform manual labor the Claimant & her husband were in very hard circumstances never owning at any one time as much as $150.00 worth of property since the year 1863 up to the date of his death

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prior to the soldiers enlistment he worked on the farm for my Bro D V Ginger & the proceeds was used in the support of the family and that I am not interested in the prosecution of this claim

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attest J R B Renfro John T his X mark Ginger

John T. Ledbetter

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 11th day of June 1883

J R B Renfro
Co Clerk

PENSION OFFICE
JUN 15 1883

Pension Claim
of Martha Gibbs
No 281,178

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JUN 15 1883
OFFICE

Western Div.   [3-083.]   State:

Hersey Ex'r.

Department of the Interior,

PENSION OFFICE,

Washington, D. C., May 11, 1885.

Sir:

Please be so kind as to inform this Office, BY INDORSEMENT ON THE BACK OF THIS LETTER, as to the standing in the community, and the general reputation for truth, of John T. Ginger Danl V. Ginger of Sparks Hill Ill, affiants in dependent mothers pension claim No 281178, of Wm A Gibbs, of Co. C, 48 Reg't Ill Vols. If you can readily do so, please ascertain what was the financial and physical condition of Wm Gibbs (husband of claimant) from 1863 to 1865.

Your early reply will be thankfully received as substantial assistance to this Office in arriving at the truth and justice of the case.

Very respectfully,

John C Black.

~~W. W. Dudley~~

Commissioner.

P. M.

Sparks Hill

Ill

Elizabethtown Ill May 23rd 1885

Dear Sir

In reply would say that John. F. Ginger (John. T. Ginger) & Daniel. V. Ginger are regarded truthful men in Our Community.

I was acquainted with Wm Gibbs father of Wm. A. Gibbs at the time named. and know that he was in very limited Circumstances financially but think his health was about as good as Common for the neighbourhood at that time.

Respectfully Yours

Wm. N. Warford M.D.

State of Illinois }
County of Pope } S.S.

In the matter of the Pension Claim of Martha Gibbs Dependent Mother of William A Gibbs No 281,178 who was a private in Co "E" 48th "Ills" Vols" Personally appeared before me a Notary Public within and for the County and State aforesaid Nathan Goolsby whose age is ... years. whose P. O. is Lusk Ills Who after being Duly Sworn according to Law Sayes. ———

I was well acquainted with William. H. Gibbs Father of William A. Gibbs above named and Husband to Martha Gibbs above named. I First Knew them in 1862 during that year and until Said William. A. Gibbs Enlisted we all lived on the Same farm. together the father. as aforesaid was a Sickly man not able to Perform much manual labor. And William. A. Gibbs (the soldier) was the main Dependant for the Suport of the family. at that time as He was the only. Chid that was Large Enough to work much I Knew the family. from 1862 till I inlisted in the service in august. 1864. and they Did not Have Hardly any. Property compairatively to the ordanary farmer of the community and after I came Home from the Service they still live in Same neighborhood and was very Poor People the old man still not able to Do much work the mother of Said soldier maid most of the living making Baskets and I know that the old lady. still Has to make Baskets for Her living I am not Relative to this Claimant and not interested in the Prosecution of this Claim

"G"

} — Nathan Goolsby — (Seal)

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 29th Day of Aug.
AD 1885 and I Certify That Said affiant is well known
to me as being reputable in intitled to full credit
and That She well understood The Contents of This
affidavit before Swearing to and That I have
no interest either Direct or
indirect in The prosecution of This
Claim. Witness Hand and official Seal.

ROBERT DUNCAN, NOTARY PUBLIC, POPE COUNTY, ILL.

Robert Duncan
Notary Public

County Clerk Certificate is on File
in pension office in Claim of
R.S. Alliston No 172.573

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additional Evidence
No 281.178
Cert - of
Martha Gibbs
Dependent Mother
of
William A. Gibbs
Pri Co "S" 48th Ills Vols
affidavit of
Nathan Gibbs

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Filed by
Claimant
(Pope County) Ills

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State of Illinois }
County of Hardin } SS.

In the matter of Pension Claim of Martha Gibbs as mother of William A. Gibbs. Pri Co. C. 48th Illinois Vols. No 281178.

Personally appeared before me a Notary Public within and for said County & State Henry Hogan age 50 years P.O. Lusk Ills who after being by me sworn Says

I was a Pri in Co C 48th Ills Regt was well acquainted with William A Gibbs of Same Company & Regt. and immediately after we enlisted in Said Co & Regiment Said William A Gibbs Sold a Suit of Citizen Clothes to one Joseph Tally of Same regiment and Said William A Gibbs Told me he was going to send the money that he got for Said Clothes to his mother Martha Gibbs and he sold said Clothes for Ten Dollars. I am no relation to the Claimant and am not interested in the Prosecution of this Claim

Geo. J. Carter
Joseph Hogg

Henry his X mark Hogan

"H"

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this Day. and I Certify That Said affiant is reputable &c. and That he understood That contents of Said affidavit before Swearing to and That I Have no interest in the prosecution of This Claim Witness my hand and official Seal at this 24 th Day of August A.D. 1885

ROBERT DUNCAN. NOTARY PUBLIC POPE COUNTY, ILL.

Robert Duncan.
Notary Public

County Clerk Cer on file in Claim No 172,573.

Continuation

PENSION [illegible] 1885

Additional Evidence
No 281.178
Case of
Martha Gibbs
Dependent mother
of
William A Gibbs
Pri Co. "D" 48th Illinois
Affidavit of
Henry Hogan

Filed by
Claimant

State of Illinois
County of Pope } SS.

In the matter of Martha Gibbs Dependent mother of William A Gibbs who was a Pri in Co C 48th Regt of Ills infty Vols. C No 281.178

Pope County Notary Public Robert [illegible]

Personally apeard before me a Notary Public within and for said County and State James M. Isham. age 54 year P. O. Karber Ridge Ills him being by me Duly Sworn according to Law on his oath says ——

I am acquanted with the family of William. H. Gibbs since 1869 or 1870 the Father was a sickly man not able in my opinion to Perform manual Labor and continued to look puny each year till he Died

He Did not Have any Property to amount to any thing they Had not real Estate and their Personal Property was not Enough to keep them Comfortabl the income from his accupation was not enough to Suport one individual. and the mother Martha Gibbs this claimant maid the living by weaving cloth and Doing chores for the neighborhood. —

"J"

(over)

This was During his life Time
and Since the father Died the mother
has had a hard way to live
She is getting old and now
Has to make her subsistence by
making White wood Split Baskets
and Sell them to the Neighbors
for Provision to live on
I am no relation to the Claimant
am not interested in the Prosecution
of this Claim Jos. M. Isham

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this day and I certify that said affiant
is credible and that he duly
understood the contents of said
affidavit before swearing and that I
have no interest in the prosecution
of said Claim. Witness my hand
and Notarial seal This. Aug. 29th 1885
Robert Duncan
Notary Public

ROBERT DUNCAN NOTARY PUBLIC POPE COUNTY, ILL.

Affidavit of James M. Isham Esq

State of Illinois }
Pope County } S.S.

In the matter of Pension claim of Martha Gibbs as mother of William A Gibbs Pri Co C 48th Ills Inf. No 281.178. Personally appeared before me a Notary Public within and for said County & State. John G Carliske whose age is 74 years and whose P.O. address is Walrabs mill. Ills who being sworn as the law directs on his oath says.

That He was present at the time of the death of the husband William H Gibbs on the 11th day of May 1876 and shaved him and Closed his eyes. Further states that said husband of Martha. Gibbs was a puny sickly man and was unable to support the family by his labor that the boys labored for the support of said Martha Gibbs. as they seemed to have no property of any Consequence and was dependent on days labor for a living where ever they Could obtain work from the farmers of the neighborhood. further I have no interest in said claim and am not related to claimant.

J G Carlisle

Sworn to and subscribed before me this July 21 1885. and I Certify I have no interest in said prosecution of pension Claim. Witness my hand and Notary Seal. Robert Duncan
Notary Public

ROBERT DUNCAN NOTARY PUBLIC POPE COUNTY, ILL.

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additional Evidence

No. 281.178

Death

of

Martha Gibbs

Dependent mother

of

William A Gibbs

Pri Co D" 48 Ills Vols

Affidavit of

John G. Carlisle

Death of his

Filed by

Claimant

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State of Illinois
County of Pope } ss

In the matter of the Pension Claim of Martha Gibbs Dependant mother of William A. Gibbs Pri Co "D" 48th Regiment of Illinois Infty Vols Personally appeard before me a Notary Public within and for the county and State aforesaid Henry T. Johnson who P.O is walrobs mill Ills who after being Duly Sworn according to Law on his oath Says —

I was well acquainted with William H. Gibbs Husband of Martha Gibbs father of William A. Gibbs from 1864 till he Died in 1876 and he the said William H. Gibbs was about 53 years old when he Died I Donot Know Just Precisely his age but in a Conversation with him concerning our ages Said Conversasion Disclosed the fact that he was about 3 year older than my Self and I am Sixty one years old. Sam Feby 1886 I am no relation to the Claimant am not interested in the Prosecution of this Claim

attest
Geo J Carter
Wilson C. Partain

his
Henry T. Johnson
mark

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this Day and I Certify that the contents of this affidavit was fully understood by the affiant before swearing to and that said affiant is reputable and entitled to full Credit and that I am not interested direct or indirect in the Prosecution of this Claim

Witness my hand and official seal this 2nd Day of ~~[illegible]~~ October AD 1885 and that all erasures was made before swearing to. } Robert Duncan

Notary Public

County Clerk certify each in file in Pension office in Claim of R. S. Alliston No 172.573

ROBERT DUNCAN NOTARY PUBLIC POPE CO. ILL.

PENSION OFFICE OCT 9 1885

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Additional Evidence
No 281.178
Case of Martha Gibbs
Dependent Mother
of [illegible] Gibbs
Co "K" 48 Ills
Affidavit of
Henry W. Johnson

Filed by Claimant
Duncan [illegible]

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Additional Evidence

State of Illinois
County of Pope } SS.

In the matter of the Pension Claim of Martha Gibbs No 281.178 Dependent mother of William A. Gibbs Died Pri Co "C" 45th Ills Infy Vols.

Personally appeared before me a Notary Public within and for said County and State Miles Hicks aged 46 years who P.O. is Walnut Mill Ills and Henry T. Johnson aged 60 years who P.O. is Walnut Mill Ills who after being by me sworn on their oath says

we have known Martha Gibbs Continuously each year since her husband William H. Gibbs Died in 1876 ~~that~~ She has lived in our immediate neighborhood all the time and we know that she has never married since the Death of her husband William H Gibbs

By living in same neighborhood if she had again married that would have been known to us we are not related to claimant not interested in the Prosecution of this Claim.

Attest
Wilson C. Partain
Geo. J. Carter

Miles Hicks (Seal)
Henry T. his + mark Johnson (Seal)

Subscribed and Sworn to before me This Day and I certify That the contents of this affidavit was fully understood by the affiants before swearing to and That they are reputable and entitled to full credit and That I have no interest Direct or indirect in the Prosecution of this Claim

Witness my hand and official Seal This 2nd Day of October A.D. 1885

Robert Duncan
Notary Public

ROBERT DUNCAN
NOTARY

County Clerk certify cert on file in Pension office in Claim of R.S. Allison No 172.573

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Additional Evidence
No 28178
ex of
Martha Gibbs
Dependent mother
-of-
William A. Gibbs
Pvt Co "D" 48th Ills Vols
Affidavits of
Miles Hicks &
Henry T. Johnson

Filed by
Claimant
(see copy)

Not reexamined
Additional Evidence
No 2 ex of Martha Gibbs
Dependent mother
of
William A Gibbs
Pvt Co D 48th Ills Vols
(1) affidavits of
Miles Hicks &
Henry T. Johnson

Filed by
Claimant

PENSION OFFICE
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No. 220722

Martha Gibbs
Mother

of

William A. Gibbs

Rank Private.

Company "C"

Regiment 48" Ills. Vols.

Rate per month $ 8.

Commencing Mch. 11" 1881

Ending

Certificate dated Mch. 18" 1886,

and sent " 19, 1886.

Payable at Chicago Agency.

(2954—5,000.)

July 18/88 Mother recd extract Inc 7/88- G.J.B.

Mch 13-90. Letter of Wm. P. Warford rel-to reim-referred to 3" A- K.M.

REIMBURSEMENT S

Accounting Officer's S

L.30 for $. 28.00

Pension Agent for payment.

May 1", 1890 E.S.